

(Earth Science – Surface Features)

Academic Standard: *TLW describe the major landforms and bodies of water of the surface of the Earth.*

- A. Given pictures of each surface feature, TLW identify the feature and tell one of its distinguishing characteristics.**

Directions: Identify the surface feature in each picture. Then use the word bank to give a characteristic of the feature.

Earth's Features

Features	Identifies Picture	Characteristic
Ocean		
Lake		
River		
Mountain		
Plain		

Word Bank

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| • salt water | • flat, grassy land | • surrounded by land |
| • flowing water | • high peak made of rock | • low area between two high areas |

Criteria: Correctly completed
Earth's Features form

Proficiency: 80%

(Answer Key)**A.** Adherence to *Landform Model Rubric***B.**

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